

Help Us Discover the Stories of Fallen WWII Service Members



Project Title	Help Us Discover the Stories of Fallen WWII Service Members
Project Summary	Learn and tell the story of fall World War II service members buried at the Luxembourg American Cemetery. Use your research skills to help us discover the stories of the over 5,000 service members buried on site so that we may continue to tell their stories for years to come.
Country	Luxembourg

Project Description

General John Pershing once said about WWI service members, "Time will not dim the glory of their deeds." This quote by General Pershing encompasses the mission of the American Battle Monuments Commission, a US Federal agency that manages overseas military cemeteries and memorials. One of these sites is the Luxembourg American Cemetery, located outside of Luxembourg City, Luxembourg. On this site, 5,075 service members that lost their lives in WWII are buried here and 371 service members are memorialized on the Walls of the Missing.

The purpose of this project is to continue an ongoing research project to discover the individual stories of the service members buried on site. This project is a virtual, collaborative projects where students will interact with one another and cemetery staff to conduct research into the service members buried on site. We are looking for students that are self driven and able to work independently through out the school year. An understanding of WWII and conducting historical and genealogical research, and an ability to summarize and cite the results of the research is ideal.

Required Skills or Interests

Skill(s)

Data analysis

Editing and proofreading

Research

Writing

Additional Information

None

Language Requirements

None